

### **REMARKS**

This responds to the Office Action mailed on August 10, 2005, and the references cited therewith.

Claims 1 is amended, claims 2, 11-16 and 18-19 are canceled; as a result, claims 1, 3-10 and 17 now pending in this application.

#### **Rejection Under 35 USC § 102**

The Examiner has rejected claims 11 and 13 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Sylvester, or Pratt or Citron or McClintock, or Rasinski. The Applicant has cancelled claims 11 and 13.

It is believed that the claims are in a condition for allowance. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the rejection and allow the claims.

#### **§103 Rejection of the Claims**

The Examiner has rejected claims 1, 3-11, 13-15, and 17 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being obvious over Rasinski in view of McClintock.

The McClintock reference does not describes trailer light at all and does not suggest or describe how or why it would be used on a trailer. The Rasinski reference does not describe vertical extension, effective for moving the light up or down. Neither of the references describe a signal light and a marker light. The references describe only signal lights. The Examiner has stated that “McClintock teaches that it is known to employ a marker light and turn signal light for a motor vehicle.” The Applicant requests that the Examiner provide the cite in the McClintock to support this statement.

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 373-6976 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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